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## CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 18-JUL-2005

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD. AVG.	LOADS
US GRADE A	53-77	65-68	67.63	29

## ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 16-Jul-05

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	166,028	148,056

## GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY

74.75

FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG.:

74.64

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

ITEM	WTD. AVG. (CENTS PER POUND)	VOLUME (000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	172.00	1,226
BREASTS - B/S	153.00	5,769
BREASTS - WHOLE	85.50	1,316
THIGH MEAT - B/S	107.00	1,057
LEG QUARTERS	44.50	6,979
WINGS	81.50	3,009

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

**MIDWEST** The preliminary majority prices for next week's deliveries into Chicago were unchanged from Monday's majority price. The whole broiler/fryer trade sentiment was steady. Additional whole fryer offerings were adequate for the light interest. Retail and distributive demand continues light to moderate at best with features and fast food sectors providing best draw. Weights were mostly desirable with floor stocks balanced as buyers are being selective and purchasing for immediate needs only. Part supplies were barely adequate to tight on leg items with wings and breast cuts adequate to ample. The market tone on dark meat cuts was fully steady to firm, and steady to barely steady on breast items and wings.

**WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS)**

	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO		CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
<b>8-16 LB HENS</b>				<b>16-24 LB TOMS</b>			
EASTERN REGION	73.50	70.75**	70.90**	EASTERN REGION	73.67	70.63**	70.50**
CENTRAL REGION	71.00	70.00	70.50**	CENTRAL REGION	71.00	73.00	70.00**
WESTERN REGION	72.50**	71.00	70.50**	WESTERN REGION	71.80**	71.00	70.20**

\*\*BASED ON OFFERS

## LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 09-Jul-2005 (PRELIMINARY)

### YOUNG CHICKENS

	THOUSANDS
Head	148,211
Avg Wt	5.17
Last week	174,829
Same wk yr ago	145,999
Avg Wt	5.15
To-date/2005	4,303,159
To-date/2004	4,178,324

## LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED

	YOUNG HENS	YOUNG TOMS
	THOUSANDS	
Head	1,539	2,202
Avg Wt	16.07	37.07
Last week	1,908	2,687
Same wk yr ago	1,535	2,236
Avg Wt	16.00	36.50
To-date/2005	45,155	68,573
To-date/2004	46,139	67,623

## FRESH PORK CUTS

FOB Negotiated	PRICE RANGE	WTD AVG
Loin		
1/8" Trm/less 21#DN-LGT	123.00	123.00
BNLS Strap-on 5-11#	151.00	151.00
Trimmed Butt		
1/4" Trim Stk Rdy	108.00	108.00
SPARERIB		
3BAG/3 PCVAC4.25#/DN-LGT	125.00 - 136.00	132.33

## FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated	PRICE RANGE	WTD AVG
112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	484.25 535.00	507.89
168 3 Round, top inside round	140.50 142.50	141.11
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	491.70 515.00	501.13
Ground Beef 81%	120.32 140.71	129.39

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